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## ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

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October 19, 1956

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ASK

Mr. H. Gates Lloyd Deputy Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Lloyd:

This is in reference to your letter to General K. E. Fields, of September 28, 1956, requesting formal concurrence of the Atomic Energy Commission for the transfer of the Government Printing Office State Service printing plant to the administrative control of the Central Intelligence Agency.

We are pleased to know that, if the transfer is approved by the Public Printer and the Joint Committee on Printing, your Agency will provide AEC with the same service on classified printing that we have received from the GPO.

Based on the conditions stated in your letter and the understanding Mr. Little had with Mr. Pearson that the printing plant would be compartmentalized insofar as the handling of our classified printing is concerned, the Atomic Energy Commission concurs in the transfer of administrative control to the CIA.

Sincerely yours,

John A. Derry, Director

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